

Nat. Guard Closing Training Period

SMALL CROWD AT ANNUAL REVIEW. GOV. ABSENT.

Michigan National Guard will close its training period this week and Saturday will see the several regiments and units enroute for their home stations. Ideal weather has favored the intensive training period and much has been accomplished.

Last Saturday was Governor's review day when every contingent of the Guard passed in review before the reviewing officers. Gov. Murphy, commander in chief of Michigan's guard and military defenses, failed to make his appearance and take part in the review that is usually exercised by the chief executive of the state.

The weather was cool and somewhat overcast and there was a slight threat to break the camp record of "never a rainy review day." However there was nothing to disturb the program unless it may have been because of the small attendance to this usually well attended event.

The reviewing officers, instead of being mounted as is the prevalent custom, they reviewed the guard from autos. Standing beside Gen. Heinrich Pickert, commander of the camp, was Maj. Gen. Albert Blanding, Chief of the National Guard Bureau, Washington, D. C. Members of the General's staff were stationed near by.

The roaring of propellers above marked the opening of the program as Michigan's air squadron, under command of Col. Floyd Evans, passed several times in view of the reviewing officers and visitors. It seemed to the writer, from the viewpoint of a civilian, that the Guard never before made such a fine appearance and displayed such high standard as was manifest that day. Gen. Pickert must have been proud of his organization, and so would the Governor have been had he been present.

Spectacular as the review always is, it was given an extra punch when the cavalry regiment, under command of Col. Harold Webber, made its appearance. Expert horsemen mounted upon sleek-looking horses, with white bridle and white-bound anklets, were an inspiring picture. They first passed in review in a walk, and again in a trot, the third time in a canter and the fourth time on a dead run. Only expert horsemen could put on such a grand exhibit.

It is estimated that there was a crowd of about 10,000 in attendance, as against a usual attendance of about 15,000. No mishaps were reported and the crowd and autos were handled quickly and pleasantly.

In the evening there was the usual reception. Gov. Murphy wired that he would be there late, however he was further detained and unable to get to the camp at all. The officers' ball that was to be a part of the program of the Governor's reception, was held as usual and was a very pleasant affair.

Today the officers and men of the guard are out on bivouac. Artillery target practice too is in full operation. The work of the training period will come to a close in time for all contingents to be out of the camp by Saturday night, except for the rear detachment whose duty it will be to see that the big camp is left in good order.

Blackstone Born in London
Blackstone was born in London, July 10, 1723, and died in 1780. No biography of importance has been published concerning the best known of all legal scholars.

Young Men Wanted In CCC Camps

Broadened provisions covering the enrollment in the CCC as set up in the new law passed by Congress establishing CCC for a three year period was recalled to the public attention today by Mrs. Laura Olson, Crawford county Welfare Administrator who is in charge of the selection of applicants for enrollment in the Civilian Conservation Corps.

According to the instructions of the U. S. Department of Labor, enrollment in the CCC is no longer the exclusive privilege of those young men whose families are on the public relief rolls Mrs. Olson declared.

"The opportunity to secure a constructive education which includes academic subjects and vocational training as well, and to participate in the vast conservation accomplishments of the CCC which have merited widespread public acclaim, is now open to young men between the ages of 17 and 23 years and otherwise eligible who are out of work and in need of work. The CCC today is primarily a training school and work agency, rather than a social welfare unit as it was previously," she continued.

Crawford County has not yet filled its quota of 7 enrollees. The enrolling period ends July 31. CCC enrollees receive educational training both from camp educational advisors and from foremen and technical supervisors of the work agency.

MAKE GRAYLING FREE OF RAGWEED

At the annual meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs in October, 1936, a resolution was passed regarding the elimination of ragweed in our state. Mrs. M. R. Keyworth, president of the Federation, is now calling attention to that fact as July and August being hot weather months, are the best time for making the campaign against this noxious weed that is so offensive to hayfever sufferers.

Ignorance of what the plant looks like is responsible in large part for its prevalence. A great many people don't recognize ragweed when they see it. One woman, who is active in campaigning against it, describes it as a "fuzzy foliage" on the same design as maidenhair fern, but with heavier leaves. Late in life it puts out a spike at the top which turns yellow as it blossoms into tiny flowerettes, the same flowerettes which produce the pollen and cause a good part of the August and September sneezing.

Reports show that in Traverse City the women have cooperated with the Chamber of Commerce to make the slogan "No Ragweed within our borders" a fact rather than a hope. Similar campaigns are being carried on in Harbor Springs, Petoskey and Mackinaw and other resort towns where the value of a haven for hay fever victims is fully understood.

From time to time the Avalanche has had articles on ragweed and urged Grayling citizens to help city officials in the eradication of this very harmful weed. It really isn't hard to control it every home owner, together with the street commission, recognize the weed in its early growth and pull it up. Let's go on record as a city free from ragweed.

For best reports and comment on the Tigers, you can't beat H. G. Salsinger's column "The Empire." Read it daily in The Detroit News.



The Michigan Mirror

Non-partisan News Letter
Michigan Press Association
By GENE ALLEMAN

Lansing—Michigan, the air-conditioned summer resort state of America, goes on parade this week.

The occasion is the visit of approximately 350 newspaper editors from all parts of the United States—New England, East, South, Middle-West, and the great West—for the annual convention and tour of the National Editorial Association. What these editors say about Michigan will be read by more than 1,000,000 persons—a vast audience.

Michigan newspapers have a personal interest in the party, as 272 of them—members of the 62-year-old Michigan Press association—are the official host. Today (July 22) the editors leave Detroit by a special air-conditioned train for Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids' two dailies—Press and Herald—and nearby weekly newspapers will show the visitors why the city is known as the furniture capital of the world.

At Muskegon the publishers are to be met by a caravan of automobiles, provided by proud citizens, who will take them on a sightseeing tour. A dinner at the Elks' temple will be an exposition prelude with a newspaper editor, Archie McCrae of the Muskegon Chronicle, serving as master of ceremonies.

Lumberjack Festival

Once the lumber capital of the Great Lakes, Muskegon is today an enterprising industrial and resort center, taking full advantage of its strategic location with the aid of an up-and-coming chamber of commerce.

Along the harbor front Muskegon has created a miniature world's fair—an exposition devoted to a portrayal of the city's 100 years of history. On the very site of the exposition once stood a bustling lumbermill, roaring off lumber by the millions of feet for boats to rush to Chicago in its reconstruction days after the great fire.

The part that the lumberjack played in the early days of Michigan is being commemorated by this Muskegon fair.

Next Sunday (July 25) a concert will be given by the National High School band of Interlochen under the personal direction of Percy Grainger, composer. This event will take place at Hackley Field, high school stadium, a commodating 30,000 spectators.

Leelanau Peninsula

Taking a midnight pullman train, the editors travel on Friday to Traverse City where they will be met again by a courtesy caravan of automobiles and taken to lake resorts in the scenic Leelanau peninsula for breakfast.

In this little finger of land, jutting out between Grand Traverse bay and Lake Michigan, is situated the famed Glen lake of National Geographic fame since it was once called one of the most beautiful lakes in the entire world.

At Leelanau, which is an Indian word for "delight of life," you will find the Sleeping Bear dune, largest of its kind in Michigan. This dune is a five-mile ridge of sand more than 300 feet high near D. H. Day State park

Fr. Schulte Was Kiwanis Speaker

CLUB OPPOSED CHANGE IN NAME OF RESERVATION.

Another delightful program was presented at the Kiwanis club luncheon Wednesday, Rev. Fr. Schulte of St. Elizabeth church, Detroit, was the speaker. Fr. Schulte is assistant chaplain of the 32nd division National guard, comprising the states of Michigan and Wisconsin.

A number of visitors were present. Among them were Chaplain Pullinger of the 125th infantry, Detroit, and a member of Chapter No. 1 of Detroit Kiwanis, Glenn Morrill and Floyd Sarabrook of River Rouge, summer residents at Higgins Lake; Dr. G. B. Stanford, Midland; Norman Fry of the E. M. T. Bay City; and Emmett M. Platt, manager of the Tri-County Telephone Co., Alpena.

T. P. Peterson of the local club called attention to the change in the name of the Hanson State Military reservation to the Crawford County Game Refuge, according to the signboards posted at the reservation. He protested to the change in the name inasmuch as this land was a gift to the state by our late citizen Rasmus Hanson, believing that the original name should be preserved and continued. A motion was unanimously passed in accord with the suggestion of Mr. Peterson and the following committee appointed to draw up suitable resolutions for presentation to the Military department: T. P. Peterson, Charles E. Moore and A. L. Joseph.

Fr. Schulte remarked upon the fine spirit of friendliness between the people of Grayling and the officers and men of the National Guard. He related about the instance of the soldier whose grave is in the National Guard cemetery near the Winter Streets park. This young man was from Detroit and was injured in camp by being kicked by a horse and later died when he contracted pneumonia. He had no relatives anywhere in Michigan but a stepfather in Oregon who gave permission for his burial in Grayling.

Col. LeRoy Pearson and others selected the place at the brow of the hill in that beautiful spot for a National Guard cemetery. Old Grayling finds day and night, every day in the year, over the grave of this former National Guardsman, Capt. Philip Pack of Ann Arbor, wrote a beautiful poem in regard to this lone occupant of that burying place, which Father Schulte very nicely recited.

Chaplain Pullinger supplemented the address by a few appropriate and interesting remarks.

CORRECTION

In his tribute to the late Rasmus Hanson, Gen. Pickert in his Kiwanis address last week credited Mr. Hanson and "his associates" for the gift of the lands to the state for a permanent National Guard camp. He was partly right except that the land, 18,000 acres, was given outright by Mr. Hanson personally. The original gift was for 13,000 acres until Mr. Hanson made purchases of lands within and adjoining the tract which were added to the reservation. This was done at a large personal cost to him. It was the same with the fine of fliers club house—this was his personal gift to the officers of the National guard.

nominee, is chairman of the state park commission. The most active promoter of the island is Stewart Woodfill, who manages the Grand Hotel on a Hollywood scale, providing gorgeous suites for "The Governor of Michigan" and also for "The President of the United States."

An enthusiast for Michigan, Mr. Woodfill believes in spending money to make money. This year he has expended \$50,000 into new furnishings for the "world's largest summer hotel." There, miles from a metropolis and situated like a gem in a setting of island forests, the Grand Hotel offers the simplicity of old-fashioned New England and at the same time the modern tempo of a night club and a smart spa.

Horse-carriages supply the mode of transportation. In the motor-wise state of Michigan, world capital of automobile manufacture, Mackinac Island is unique.

Editor's Note: Michigan Mirror will devote its space from time to time to other parts of the state.

In the Editor's Mail

APPRECIATES ROAD TREATMENT

Grayling, Mich., July 21, 1937.
Dear Mr. Schumann:
I would like to bring before the residents of the City of Grayling the wonderful cooperation and consideration received from the City Council in treating the County Road past the State Fish Hatchery with a new treatment.

We are indeed grateful for this consideration as in the past we have lived in a continuous cloud of dust all day and night and it has been impossible to keep anything clean. I am sure that the residents of Grayling will appreciate this. But the most important thing about this dust layer, it gave our daily visit a chance to see the fish and enjoy them without being bothered with dust. It would surprise you the favorable comment from various visitors when they have found their visit much more enjoyable since they could enjoy the fish without having to put their cars to get away from the cloud of dust hanging over the grounds from passing cars.

We are indeed fortunate in having an able City engineer and group of men at the head of our City Government to manage our municipal affairs to the interest of its residents and its visiting guests.

Very truly yours,
H. I. Peterson, Dist. Sup't.
Fishery Operations,
Grayling, Michigan.

Compliments Local Hatchery Improvements

East Michigan Tourist Ass'n.
Bay City, Mich., June 5, 1937.

Mr. P. J. Holtzmaster,
Director of Conservation,
Lansing, Michigan.
Dear Mr. Holtzmaster:

Last Wednesday it was my pleasure to inspect the many fine improvements at the Grayling Fish Hatchery.

I want to commend you and the others having these improvements in charge. The Superintendent at Grayling seems to be one of those enthusiasts who is anxious to have everything done right as well as being particularly attractive.

With kindest personal regards, I remain
Yours respectfully,
T. F. Marston,
Secretary-Manager.

MRS. MARGARET B. BURTON PASSED AWAY

Friends of Mrs. Margaret A. Burton, widow of the late Joseph C. Burton, will be grieved to learn of that lady's passing on July 8, at the home of her daughter Mrs. Harry E. Simpson at Monroe, Mich. Mrs. Burton had been ill for several months. Funeral services were held at the home of a sister, Mrs. George Adams in Coldwater, with interment at Mrs. Burton's birth place Bronson, Mich.

Margaret Strachly was born in Bronson on June 22, 1864 to Mr. and Mrs. David Strachly. Her girlhood was spent in that place and on December 16, 1883 she was united in marriage to Joseph C. Burton. The couple came to Grayling in 1887 where their daughter Irene was born. Mr. Burton passed away in 1922 and in 1927 Mrs. Burton moved to Coldwater, where she resided for three years, going from there to Monroe to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Harry E. Simpson.

Mrs. Burton was one of Grayling's estimable residents for a long number of years and although this had not been her permanent home since 1927 she came back each summer and either spent the time at her Lake Margrethe cottage or with her brother Clayton Strachly and family. Mrs. Burton was an active member of Grayling Chapter Eastern Star, transferring to the Coldwater chapter in 1928. She leaves hosts of friends who join in extending sympathy to the family in their bereavement.

BOY SCOUTS ATTENTION

All Scouts will please meet at the School Building, tonight (Thursday) at 7:00. We will go out to work on new overnight cabin.

Harley Russell, Scoutmaster.

"Thomas Christians"
The name "Thomas Christians" is borne by the followers of the Malabar rite because of their tradition that St. Thomas the Apostle evangelized them.

Great Plans For Canoe Carnival

TWO DAYS—AUGUST 7 AND 8. PROGRAM NEARS COMPLETION.

Grayling, Mich., July 21, 1937.
The plans for the greatest festival in the history of Grayling, Michigan, the Canoe Carnival, which will be held August 7 and 8, are nearly completed.

With a committee in charge, the plans for the festival are being completed. The festival will be held at the Grayling Fish Hatchery, which is the most beautiful place in the state for such a festival. The festival will be held on the 7th and 8th of August, which is the best time for such a festival. The festival will be held at the Grayling Fish Hatchery, which is the most beautiful place in the state for such a festival.

Within a few days, a "Queen of the Canoe" will be selected by the committee in charge. The festival will be held at the Grayling Fish Hatchery, which is the most beautiful place in the state for such a festival. The festival will be held on the 7th and 8th of August, which is the best time for such a festival.

Featuring the carnival will be 24 canoe trips down the Asable River, Saturday and Sunday. About 100 canoes and rowers, manned by experienced guides, will take the visitors down the river. A non-luncheon will be served at Burton's Landing, making part of the trip. A picnic and entertaining water sports will take place during the day.

Among the features of a downtown program, arranged for those who do not wish to make the canoe trip, is a fishing contest. Map of the best fishing grounds and a list of the Asable are expected to complete, giving the public an opportunity to see in action some of the finest fly-catchers in the middle west. Valuable prizes are being given in the fly-casting contest.

Saturday evening will see a program of water events presented under flood lights. This program will feature canoe tripping, canoe polo, walking and canoe races. Other features are being planned for this program.

Concluding the Saturday program will be a "Queen's Ball" which is expected to attract several hundred persons. Sunday will feature another trip down the river, with the same entertainment at Burton's Landing.

Committee members feel that the Grayling carnival is far superior to all other northern festivals because the canoe trip is so outstanding it will leave a lasting impression upon anyone who takes it. It is known as one of the most unusual scenes in America and anyone who wishes it is certain to want to come to Grayling again.

Admission is needed to assure the carnival's success. It is proper compensation from Grayling's residents and Old Man Weather.

GRAYLING GIRLS PLAY AT CHERRY FESTIVAL

At the cherry festival given at Traverse City last week, one of the special features was the coronation in which the little prince and princess were crowned.

Preceding the crowning, a concert was given by Mabelle Bennett Sawyer and an ensemble of twenty voices. Bugles announced the approach of the little royal pair and when they appeared the ensemble played "Country Gardens" by Percy Grainger, and Prof. Joseph Madden of the National High School Music Camp at Interlochen crowned the little prince and princess of the cherry festival.

Four of the violinists playing in the ensemble were Grayling girls, Misses Beatrice Peterson, Betty Parsons, Rhoda Jean Miller and Billyann Clippert.



The Ladies Auxiliary of the Golf Club had a very enjoyable golf game, pot luck luncheon and bridge game Wednesday.

For golf Mrs. Roy Milnes had the winning score, and for bridge Mrs. C. G. Clippert had the high score.

Guests of the club were Mrs. Clark Van Paris and Mrs. John Dunn Lane of Detroit, Mrs. Herbert S. Wolff, Miss Janet Wolff, South Bend, Ind.

Next Wednesday, July 28th, West Branch ladies will be guests of the club.

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VOTERS' FAULT

A Detroit newspaper, during the past week, in commenting on the failures of the 1937 Legislature, declared that the voters of Michigan are to blame for sending so many "bad" and irresponsible men to Lansing. The final blame rests upon the voters of Michigan, asserted the Detroit editor.

The only fault the paper had with the Legislature was that it had not done more to clean up the mess of the 1937 Legislature. The paper said that the Legislature had not done enough to clean up the mess of the 1937 Legislature. The paper said that the Legislature had not done enough to clean up the mess of the 1937 Legislature.

Readers may not be interested in the details of the election, but the results of the election are of great importance to the state. The election was held on Tuesday, July 13, 1937, and the results were as follows:

U. S. Senator—Frank J. La Follette, Republican, defeated the incumbent, Charles McNary, Democrat.

U. S. Representative—James J. Connelley, Republican, defeated the incumbent, Charles McNary, Democrat.

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Personals

Hugh, Oaks and son Herbert of
Pitt spent the week end here.

B. M. Silver of Detroit is
spending the week here with Mr.
and Mrs. R. Lett.

Henry Wyke of Detroit visited
his mother Mrs. F. A. Goshorn
and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Peterson
are entertaining Mrs. Jennie M.
Dunham of Port Huron.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DeRemire
of Lansing visited in Grayling
over the week end.

Miss Edna Adler of Detroit
was a guest at Postmaster and
Mrs. James McDonnell last week.

Howard Schmidt of Detroit is
visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
H. Schmidt, for a few days.

Mrs. Wilfred Cohen of Detroit
is spending the summer at the
Wood cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Neal of
Detroit are spending the week
with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman
Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd A. Goshorn
visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Briggs
at Pinckney over the week
end.

Several themes dropped in at
the home of Miss Odie Sherry
Friday evening to extend to the
day meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lemmon
enjoyed a week end visit from
their mother, Mrs. A. Lemmon
of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ramey of
Bar Harbor were guests at Mr.
and Mrs. Charles Gorse's home
over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith and
Mrs. S. Smith of Bay City
visited at the E. N. Davis
home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Decker of
Saginaw were in Grayling
Friday night.

Mr. Ernest Warner and his
family are visiting at the home
of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett
over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warner
and children of Detroit
just arrived in Grayling
last evening to spend the
summer at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. R. J. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Hays of
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Mrs. Roy Chappel of Oxford
spent the week end with her
husband here.

Bob Welsh and Frank Jensen
left Sunday for a two weeks stay
at Camp Haley.

William Butler Sr. of Dear-
born is visiting his daughter,
Miss Florence Butler.

Miss Genevieve Witkowski of
Detroit is visiting her sister Mrs.
Joseph Kasper, for two weeks.

Miss Genevieve Hoffman of
Lansing was a guest of her cousin
Miss Dorothy Roberts, over the
week end.

Paige Fenton and Edward
Haglund of Bay City visited at
the Harold Jarvin home first of
the week.

Mrs. Frank Lydell enjoyed a
visit from her granddaughter,
Miss Norma Pray of Detroit over
the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson, Mrs.
Henry Baessen and Mrs. Alfred
Hansen spent Wednesday in
Traverse City.

Mrs. Andrew Smith and daughter
of Saginaw are spending two
weeks at the Albert Roberts cot-
tage at Houghton Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fletcher
and Miss Audrey Hewitt of Lan-
sing are guests at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. George Schaub.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Madsen
and son Howard, who have been
spending two weeks with Ed
Moore, returned to Detroit Tues-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peterson
and daughter Sally Lou of Bay
City spent Saturday at the Alfred
Hansen home, enroute to the
Strait.

Mrs. Everett Desy, who is
spending the summer in Mack-
inaw with Mr. Desy's parents,
was in Grayling the forepart of
the week.

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Stealy
enjoyed a visit from the Doctor's
mother and wife, Mr. and Mrs.
Lawrence Sprague of Detroit,
Sunday.

F. R. Welsh, Fred and Gail
Welsh and Miss Margrethe Hem-
mingsen returned from Big Bay
Thursday, after spending a few
days there.

Mrs. Clark VanParis and Miss
Betty Potter of Detroit are guests
at Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Michelson
and son John at their summer home
at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Harry Raimo and daughter
Ruth returned to Detroit Sun-
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cardinal
of Saginaw visited at the Thomas
Canniff and Joseph Fournier
homes over last week end.

Lawrence McDonnell of Detroit
spent last week visiting his
parents, Postmaster and Mrs.
James McDonnell.

H. O. Scarlett and family of
Detroit stopped in Grayling Sat-
urday enroute to Burt Lake to
spend a couple of weeks.

Mr. H. W. Wolff arrived from
New York Friday and is spend-
ing several weeks with his fam-
ily at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. George Wilbur of Wyand-
otte is at her cottage on the
main stream for the week. Mr.
Wilbur spent the week end here.

Earl Gierke, of Saginaw, who
has been spending his vacation
at his home here entertained
Hickson Keller of Lansing last
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke are
enjoying a visit from Mr. and
Mrs. Leo Jeambert and daughter
Joyce of Detroit, and Mrs. Frank
Gierke, of Manistique.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Callup of
Detroit accompanied Mr. Olaf
Michelson to his summer home at
Lake Margrethe and they spent
Tuesday and Wednesday visiting
with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wells and
Mrs. Claud Cardinal accompa-
nied Miss Wanda Cardinal to
Pontiac Sunday where the latter
will resume her duties at the
St. Joseph Hospital after vaca-
tioning here.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients who entered the hos-
pital the past week are:

Carleean Hanson, Mrs. Elsie
Mills, Grant Case, Stanley Good-
all, Grayling.

Mrs. Victoria Johnson, Mrs.
Theresa Jozwick, Albert Mitchell,
Audrey Pethers, Floyd Williams,
Gaylord.

Major Charles Sawyer, Mrs.
Hibner, Mrs. J. A. Roberts, De-
troit.

Lydia Wiegardt, Johannesburg,
Mrs. Ruth Gibson, Nina Wings,
Elmira.

Mrs. Robert Hodgins, Peacock,
James Clark, Prudenville,
Wm. Henderson, CCC Camp
No. 1677.

James Ross, Ann Arbor,
Florence Leng, Frederic,
John Swanson, Houghton Lake.

Dismissed:
Lillian Adams, Mrs. Marie Mal-
loy, James Douglas, William J.
Wilson, Richard Dawson, Betty
Lou Wilson, Emma Wilson, Ken-
neth Gauthier, Thomas Douglas,
Amos Hunter, Stanley Owens,
Mrs. Floyd Jennings, Wilson
Gierke, Iris Madsen, Betsy Nei-
derer, Mrs. Floyd Taylor, Mrs.
W. C. Rayson, Mrs. Viola Reyn-
olds, Grayling.

Roy Brisen, Jackson,
Mrs. Robert Klein, Fletcher,
Mich.

Mildred Kornoely, Luella Kor-
noely, Bobby Smith, Houghton
Lake.

Mrs. Luella Morehouse, The
Heights.

Patricia A. Perry, John Hough-
ton, Higgins Lake.

James W. Spenser, Wolverine,
Clayton Tompkins, Otsego.

Fred Gouthier, Walter Vaughn,
Jr., Chicago.

Edwin Reed, Capt. Claude Al-
lan, Pontiac.

Dorothy Dufont, Mrs. Antonio
Haron, Bay City.

Jacob Jensterblum, Camp San-
ta Marie.

Corp. Fritz H. Kubly, Water-
town, Wis.

Mrs. Ruth Gibson, Elmira,
W. A. Seigert, Lansing.

Rev. J. W. Courtney, Owosso,
Richard Burrows, Saginaw.

Clarence Poquette, CCC Camp
1677, Robert E. Hill, Camp Gray-
ling.

Dale Hill, New York.

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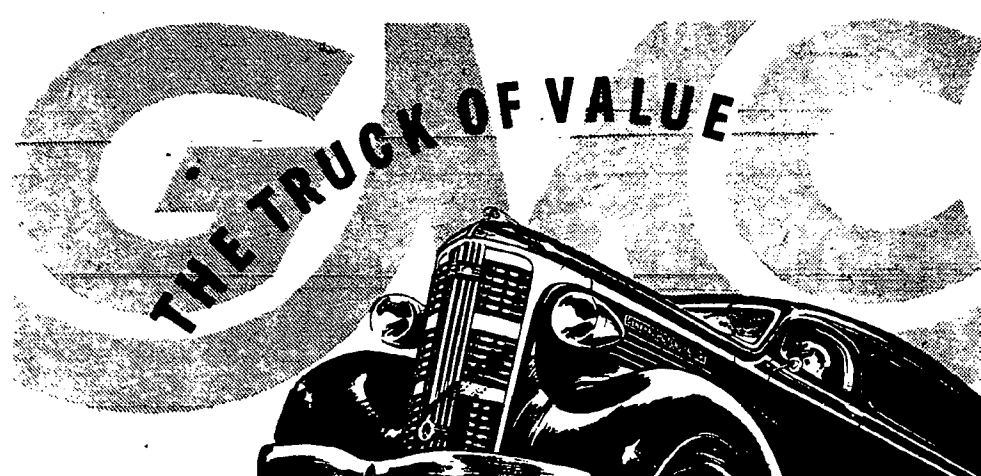
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IT IS WITH a feeling of gratification
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Truck users in this locality may rest
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skilled service will be rendered
and a stock of genuine GMC parts
will be available promptly.

Also important to truck buyers is
the fact that the new line of 1937
GMC's will be offered by this
organization. The new trucks are
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in the 1/2-ton range there are two
GMC's, one with 126-inch wheel-
base, the other with 112-inch
wheelbase—quality at prices

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1937 GMC's sets a new standard.
New Cab-Over-Engine Models
include the lowest priced 1/2-
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Refinements and improvements
throughout the entire line assure
greater economy and more effi-
cient performance.

Before you select any truck, get
the bedrock facts about the new
General Motors trucks of value.

GENERAL MOTORS TRUCKS & TRAILERS

Children in Court

Judge Malcolm Hatfield

The price of a half fare bus
ticket proved the means of land-
ing a thirteen year old girl in
the juvenile court today.

Twenty-four hours before her
apprehension by juvenile au-
thorities for stealing from a ten-
cent store, this child had heard
her mother tell a bus driver that
she was eleven years of age.
While the mother saved a small
amount of money by misrepres-
enting her daughter's actual age,
this proved to be the most ex-
pensive ticket she ever purchased,
for an example of dishonesty
was set which the child was not
slow in adopting.

A grocer's son was taken into
custody yesterday in a nearby
city by an inspector of the Bur-
eau of Weights and Measures.
The young man frankly admitted
that he conceived the idea of
short weighing orders after hav-
ing heard his father boast of a
fraudulent practice by which a
slight advantage was gained over
a customer.

It was also discovered that the
young man had deliberately fail-
ed over a period of six months
of ringing up on the cash register
all money taken in. The court
was not impressed with the
father's indignation and frankly
informed him that he had no
complaint to make so long as he
himself cheated his customers in
his son's presence.

Base Ball Schedule

JUNIOR AMERICAN LEGION
LEAGUE

Playing dates for northern part
of District No. 10:

July 25—
West Branch at Grayling.

Roscommon at ———

The schedule was supposed to
start May 23rd but owing to the
High School players not having
finished their season here, two
games were postponed to a later
date. These are Roscommon at
Grayling and Grayling at Mio,
on May 30th. These games will
be played at later dates.

Oral LeVan, Mgr.
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GRAPHIC GOLF By BEST BALL



A PUTTING SUGGESTION.

THERE is much to be said for
that method of putting which
will insure, insofar as possible,
the golfer keeping his attention on
actually hitting the ball. Generally
speaking there are so many things
for the player to worry about on
the green, such as the proper speed,
the path to take, etc., that the at-
tention is diverted along numerous
channels and as a result the putt
is not a decisive one.

Naturally these are problems that
must be contended with but the
player would be better off if he
quit worrying and stroked the ball
accurately and smoothly. It is wise
to learn a putting technique that
will cast aside these annoying
angles. One of the best methods
to follow is described here and,
besides proving an excellent meth-
od of putting, it will also prove a
remedy for putting ills when other
styles are proving troublesome.
The process is as simple as it is
efficient. Merely select the line the
ball is to follow, then align the
clubface square to this line. As the
actual stroke is made, think of noth-
ing but striking the ball accurately
along the line you have picked out.
The method sounds easy and is,
but requires considerable concentra-
tion. The important factor is to keep
the mind focused on actually strok-
ing the ball and not on problems the
ball may have to contend with later.

Autographs
"Do you recognize your old
friends since you made

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, July 16th, 1914

Miss Louise Peterson is home from Ypsilanti Normal to spend her vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Olsen.

J. C. Foreman and William Cody drove through to Saginaw with auto loads Tuesday morning to attend the horse races. Among those in the loads were Esbern Olson, David Montour and Harold Kasmussen.

There were about fifty people out to the annual school meeting Monday night. Pres. Charles T. Jerome called the meeting to order. H. A. Bauman and Melvin A. Bates were elected to succeed themselves as trustees. It was voted at this meeting to raise an appropriation of \$8,000 for next year's expenses. At the close of the session the new board held a session and elected Mr. Jerome as president. Mr. Bates as secretary and Mr. Bauman, treasurer.

Miss Mildred and Master Emerson Bates left on Thursday for Grand Rapids to visit their sister, Mrs. Benjamin J. Home.

Miss Anna Brown of the Model Bakery is enjoying a two weeks vacation.

Neil McDaniels has resumed his old position as deliveryman for the Express company as Bert Chappel has resigned and has left for Flint to work.

Miss Anna Neilsen of the Salling Hanson Company office is spending her vacation in Detroit and other cities.

Phil VanPatten is back assisting in the Collen's restaurant, as Howard Bradley has resigned the position.

The opening dancing party at the Collen's dancing pavilion at Portage Lake on Saturday evening last was a very enjoyable affair. A number of the young folks from here drove out in machines and with the resorters from all around the lake made a very enjoyable party. Bradley's orchestra furnished excellent music.

Miss Hattie Gierke is the new bookkeeper and clerk at the Salling Hanson company general store.

Last Friday the W.R.C. ladies were invited to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Chalker at their home in Maple Forest. Through the kindness of auto owners they were able to make the trip in about one hour, with the exception of Mr. Hans Petersen who tried to climb a stump, Helen Bauman getting stalled on the top of a hill, and Mr. M. Hanson having to come back to town after gasoline.

Chartering a special train, bringing along their band and about 400 of their loyal rosters, the Gaylord baseball team journeyed down to Grayling Sunday in an endeavor to win the third game of the series, as each team had one game to their credit. But after nine innings of fast baseball, they were compelled to return to their homes satisfied with the small end of a 3 to 2 score in favor of Grayling.

Thursday, July 23, 1914

The wedding of Miss Martha

Joseph, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Joseph of this city, and Mr. Harry Friedman of Milwaukee was performed at the pleasant home of the bride's parents on Sunday evening. Dr. Leo M. Frickman of Temple Bethel, Detroit, performed the ceremony.

Mrs. Peter Hanson of Houghton Lake is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Fisher, Sr. This is Mrs. Hanson's first visit here in seven years.

Miss Carrie Jorgenson is assisting in the Post Office during the absence of Miss Lillian Bates.

Mrs. Marius Hanson entertained with a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Ethel Tromble.

Miss Bernadette Tetu of Peterson's grocery store is enjoying a two weeks vacation.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Axel Gustafson of Beaver Creek, a fine baby boy Monday.

Frank Tetu of Sorenson Bros. furniture store, is enjoying a week's vacation visiting in Stan-lish.

Attorney Glen Smith has moved from the rooms over the Collen restaurant to the office rooms over the Lewis Drug store.

Samuel Kasmussen is home from Detroit visiting his parents.

C. J. Hathaway has been in Grand Rapids this week attending the annual meeting of the jewelers association.

Elmer Haure spent Sunday at his home in Bay City. Clarence Johnson moved his place in the field in the Mamsee-Grayling belt game.

Harold Kasmussen resumed his work at the Salling Hanson store on Tuesday morning after a week's vacation spent in Saginaw.

Miss Rachel Joseph of Detroit arrived on Sunday morning to attend the Joseph-Freeman wedding and is spending a couple of weeks here as a guest at the home of her brother Abe.

Some change has been made in the telephone force. Miss Ange VanPatten has one of the day shifts as Miss Hattie Gierke has resigned and Mrs. Laura Shroeder is the new night operator.

The Citizens band, in burlesque costume, serenaded the public on Tuesday evening and "passed the hat" for contributions toward a fund for purchasing new uniforms.

Frank Tromble of Hoquiam, Wash., arrived in this city yesterday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tromble, and to attend the wedding of his sister, Miss Ethel and Guy Bradley, which will take place next Tuesday morning.

Esbern and Marius Hanson landed a beautiful rainbow trout on Thursday of last week. It measured 24 inches and weighed exactly 5 1/2 pounds.

In compliment to Miss Martha Joseph, whose marriage occurred on Sunday evening, Mrs. A. J. Joseph gave a four-course luncheon to the bridal party at her home Saturday afternoon.

Miss Bertha Woodburn, who is training for a nurse at Harper Hospital in Detroit, arrived home Sunday morning to spend about three weeks at her home here.

Annual School Meeting School District No. 1

The Annual School Meeting of Grayling Township District No. 1 was held in the assembly room of the High School on Monday, July 13, 1937.

The meeting was called to order by President T. P. Peterson who requested the Secretary to read the minutes of the last Annual meeting were also read by the Secretary. On motion made by James McDonnell and supported by Dan Babbitt, the minutes were approved as read.

The Secretary was then asked to read the financial report for the past year. The report was read and showed a balance on hand of \$8,567.43. On motion made by Walter LaMotte and supported by Dan Babbitt the report as read was accepted, approved and adopted. Motion carried.

The Annual budget as presented to the County Board of Tax Commissioners was next read by the Secretary and he stated that the per centum allowed by the Tax Commissioners was 2 1/2 mills. Moved by James McDonnell and supported by Leta Babbitt that the budget as presented be accepted and adopted. Motion carried.

The election of a trustee followed and the President appointed as tellers Walter LaMotte and Leta Babbitt. The tellers were sworn in by notary public Margrethe Hemmingsen.

Ernest Borchers and A. J. Joseph were nominated for the office of trustee. Ballots were passed and A. J. Joseph received the greater number of votes and was declared elected.

A general discussion about the school affairs were handled. There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

R. O. Milnes, Secretary, Grayling Board of Education, Grayling School Dist. No. 1

Annual School Report of Grayling Township School District No. 1 for the Year Ending June 30, 1937

Receipts:		
Balance on hand June 30, 1936	\$24,854.86	
State Land Tax (10c Acre tax)	1,722.16	
Delinquent Tax	3,038.71	
Primary School Tax	5,574.80	
Primary Supplement Fund	9,907.00	
Equalization Fund	10,330.00	
Tuition—State	\$822.00	
Tuition—Delinquent	60.00	882.00
Smith-Hughes	663.00	
Sale of School Supplies	886.26	
Refund on Insurance	2.47	
Sale of Typewriter	17.50	
Total	\$56,978.76	

Expenditures:

General Control:		
Salaries Board of Education:		
T. P. Peterson, check No. 428	\$ 20.00	
Carl Jensen, check No. 428	20.00	
Jas. McDonnell, check No. 427	20.00	
Emil Giegling, check No. 429	20.00	
Roy Milnes, No. 11, 39, 61, 152, 217, 256, 279, 312, 336, 380	300.00	
Michigan School Service, Inc., supplies, No. 319	13.18	
Hurley Brothers, supplies, No. 364	12.84	
Crawford Avalanche, printing, No. 28	53.75	
Dorothy Roberts, office help, No. 1, 91, 151, 187, 224, 270, 318, 343, 393, 429	256.80	
Jas. McDonnell, Postmaster, stamped envelopes, No. 43	22.48	
Palmer Insurance Agency, Treas. bond, No. 422	50.00	
Chris Johnson, census enumerator, No. 380	56.55	
G. L. Poor, hiring teachers, No. 118, 411	125.00	
Total	\$1,020.00	

Instructional Service:		
G. L. Poor, teachers salary	\$2,300.00	
Willard Cornell, teachers salary	1,660.00	
Frank L. Bond, teachers salary	825.00	
Cecil Roberts, teachers salary	1,300.00	
Joseph Stripe, teachers salary	1,200.00	
Richard Deming, teachers salary	1,350.00	
Eleanor Tumath, teachers salary	1,325.00	
Josephine Nichols, teachers salary	1,350.00	
Eva Dunn, teachers salary	1,350.00	
Jessie Bath, teachers salary	1,200.00	
Margaret Fyvie, teachers salary	1,275.00	
Margaret Douglas, teachers salary	1,125.00	
Margaret Geedey, teachers salary	1,125.00	
Vivian Hewens, teachers salary	1,100.00	
Ina M. Conboy, teachers salary	1,125.00	
Ina M. Tappin, teachers salary	1,100.00	
Doris Butler, teachers salary	1,100.00	
Cecelia Faler, teachers salary	1,100.00	
Myrtle Kullen, teachers salary	1,100.00	
Mildred Fink, teachers salary	1,100.00	
Short Freight Lines, freight on supplies, No. 3, 74, 100, 226, 266, 431	31.16	
Railway Express Agency, express on supplies, No. 2, 73, 125, 180, 190, 277, 430	10.72	
D. C. Heath and Co., supplies, No. 21, 83	42.54	
Lyons & Carnahan, supplies, No. 54	24.58	
Henry Holt & Co., supplies, No. 56	11.15	
Connie Grocery, supplies, No. 77, 138, 196, 239, 273, 306, 363, 397	102.43	
A. J. Nystrum & Co., supplies, No. 80	45.53	
Mich. School Service, Inc., supplies, No. 27, 109, 206, 301, 321, 359, 415	1,109.40	
Gover's Central Supply Co., supplies, No. 85, 129, 172, 245, 327, 350, 374	127.99	
Hickdale School Supply Co., supplies, No. 99	16.09	
O. P. Schumann, supplies, No. 102, 222, 326, 409	76.80	
Chris Hoelsi, freight on supplies, No. 31, 434	22.50	
Janesville Stoneware Co., supplies, No. 127	2.00	
Elsie LaMotte, laundry, No. 128, 248, 295, 320, 330, 354, 415	10.25	
Chicago Apparatus Co., supplies, No. 133, 206, 348	18.85	
Lowe & Campbell, supplies, No. 147, 220, 375, 412	32.38	
Hiter's, supplies, No. 166, 207, 329, 413	136.13	
E. P. McFadden & Co., supplies, No. 173, 332	37.30	
Pottery Publishing Co., supplies, No. 207	23.00	
Ed. Corbell, supplies, No. 212	21.44	
Mac & Gidley, supplies, No. 249	8.95	
University of Michigan, supplies, No. 264	26.00	
Hanson Hardware Co., supplies, No. 272, 304	41.68	
Grayling Lumber & Supply Co., supplies, No. 274, 302	3.39	
Emil Kraus, supplies, No. 316	3.10	
Sorenson Furniture Co., supplies, No. 337	6.05	
O. Sorenson & Sons, supplies, No. 328	54.00	
Bay City Business College, supplies, No. 377	218.02	
Webster Publishing Co., books, No. 19, 96, 210, 246, 298	366.83	
Scott, Foresman & Co., books, No. 20, 82, 97, 157	161.20	
Allyn & Bacon books, No. 57, 134, 239	64.31	
Ginn & Co., books, No. 58, 108, 263	39.90	
W. F. Quarrie & Co., books, No. 78	6.99	
Harcourt, Brace & Co., books, No. 81	573.83	
Mich. School Service, Inc., books, No. 84, 149, 244, 319, 369	13.14	
40c Books, Inc., books, No. 93	12.00	
Laidlaw Brothers, books, No. 98	30.08	
Chris Hoelsi, freight on books, No. 177	14.94	
Row, Peterson & Co., books, No. 130, 353	32.03	
Wilcox, Falsett & Co., books, No. 131, 211	22.81	
Bruce Publishing Co., books, No. 132, 372	42.05	
John C. Winston Co., books, No. 161	6.93	
Gregg Publishing Co., books, No. 164	12.87	
American Book Co., books, No. 168	51.94	
Houghton Mifflin Co., books, No. 251	14.00	
H. R. Terryberry Co., Inc., books, No. 370	15.57	
Southwestern Publishing Co., books, No. 297	14.00	
H. R. Terryberry Co., Inc., books, No. 370	250.00	
G. L. Poor, books, No. 401	142.21	
Michigan School Service Co., books, library, No. 352	29.50	
Disabled Am. Veterans of World War, library books, No. 419	10.00	
John C. Winston Co., library books, No. 417	14.29	
World Book Co., library books, No. 371	43.97	
D. C. Heath & Co., library books, No. 416	22.16	
Educational Bureau, music, No. 79, 95, 135, 325, 349	5.61	
Willis Music Co., music, No. 162	18.36	
Manual Arts Co., supplies, No. 163, 173	4.76	
Mich. Crippled Children's Commission, tuition, No. 72	30.09.76	

Auxiliary and Coordinate Activities:		
Johanna Gorman, school nurse salary	\$900.00	
Eleanor Tumath, trip to Lake City to attend a home economics conference, No. 126	13.50	
Drs. Keyport & Clippert, examination of the basketball teams, No. 296	18.00	
Mrs. L. Heath, substitute teacher, No. 379	6.00	
Mrs. Hazel Trudgeon, substitute teacher, No. 378, 410	7.50	
C. C. Barnes, Commencement speaker, No. 402	30.00	
Total	\$975.00	

Operation of the Plant:		
Sherman Neal, janitor	\$1,320.00	
Walter LaMotte, janitor	600.00	
Howard Neal, janitor helper, No. 41, 47, 324	50.80	
H. B. Harrison, janitor helper, No. 140, 223	4.50	
F. L. Bond, extra work, No. 280	50.00	
Richard Deming, extra work, No. 400	50.00	

When the Python Has the Toothache



When the python of the Rattman, H. B. Harrison, took the place of a dentist's chair, as shown with a tooth, he was a dentist.

Had We Not Dreamed

By Douglas M. Malloch

THE LANGUAGE OF YOUR HAND

By Leicester K. Davis

In the third finger you may look for the most of the urges through which the mind tends to find true expressions of the creative soul of the inner self. Creative instincts vary with the conscious and subconscious makeup of the individual. Here is one of several variations shown by the formation of the third finger, which in the type described indicates that its possessor holds high promise of worth while accomplishment along creative lines.

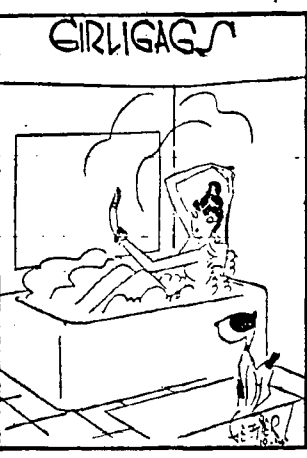
The Inventive Finger of Brilliance

The predominant characteristics of this type are: (1) squareness, (2) resilience under pressure, (3) pronounced inclination or tilt of the finger toward the fourth or little finger.

This type is sometimes found rather full in structure, but is never overdeveloped. Its length is often marked and is usually even with that of the second finger or nearly so. The underside of the nail tip is often spatulate in shape, with pad-like cushions of flesh which sometimes extend beyond the sides of the nail, which is quite square and firmly set. With the hand extended wide, the finger is found to lie in fairly close proximity to the second finger.

You may quite safely conclude that the owner of a third finger of this type is of a decidedly inventive turn of mind and indefatigable in working out original ideas in a practical manner.

WNU Service.



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THURSDAY, JULY 22, 1937

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pratt of Saginaw, but formerly of Grayling, on July 15.

Word from Port Huron announces the birth of a daughter Sheila Ann, on July 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hodgins (Louise Sorenson).

James Gallery and family of Caro are spending a few weeks at Higgins Lake. Mr. Gallery is associated with his father A. D. Gallery in the publication of the Caro Advertiser.

Mrs. J. L. Martin has been chosen delegate to represent the American Legion Auxiliary at the state convention that will be held in Detroit the middle of August. Mrs. Sam Rasmussen is the alternate.

Thomas Wells has purchased the property on the AuSable in the vicinity of Wakeley's bridge, known as the Mrs. Alfred Wilson property, and the family is moving there this week to make their home. They have rented their home to H. Roy Whittaker, connected with the building of the new postoffice.

Wm. Kite has accepted a position as salesman at the Sorenson Furniture Store.

Mrs. E. J. Marshall purchased a new DeLuxe Sport Sedan of the Chevrolet Sales.

Gerald Herrick is away from his work at the Alfred Hanson garage because of illness.

Jack Hull has accepted a position at the Corwin Garage for the remainder of the summer.

Albert Schrieber has purchased the property of George Plant on the School Section lake road.

Middleton's Radio Repair Shop has been moved to the City Tourist Park. For service call Avalanche Office, phone 111.

Miss Carolyn Kosequet of Petoskey has accepted the position as bookkeeper at Mercy Hospital to fill the place of Mrs. Clifford Malloy, resigned.

Will sacrifice about 25% in nice large cottage near Collen's landing at Lake Margrethe. Need cash. Must sell at once. Lock box 635, Grayling.

By the large crowds that have surrounded the Court House park for several evenings it can easily be seen that Grayling people are immensely enjoying the band concerts that are being given most every evening by bands from Camp Grayling. There are some mighty fine musicians in the outfits.

Joanne Andrews is celebrating her first birthday today and the little tot with others, are being entertained at the Jappe Smith cottage in honor of the occasion. Joanne with her mother Mrs. Harold Andrews, of Albion, are spending the summer here with her mother Mrs. Hans R. Nelson, at Lake Margrethe.

Work on the new postoffice is progressing nicely. The excavating has been finished, and today they have begun to pour cement into the footings. H. Roy Whittaker, construction engineer of the U. S. Treasury department has arrived to be here until the building is completed. Mr. Whittaker recently completed federal buildings in Wauseon, O., and Gary, Ind.

Have you seen the attractive "R. C. Cola" sign in front of the Nehi Bottling works. And Manager Carl Peterson says it is just as good as the sign indicates. We really believe that Royal Crown Cola is superior to any other cola beverages on the market. Keep a case of it on hand at all times for a quenching hot-weather drink. Ask for it wherever soft drinks are sold. A trial order will make you a steady customer.

Wm. LaChappelle is employed at the Reynolds gas station.

Isaac Gendron is assisting at the Green Front restaurant.

Bernard Ackers is helping Bud Darveau in the Sinclair Gas station.

Wm. Brown is the new gasoline salesman for Earl Nelson on U. S. 27.

Arthur Clough has moved his family into their new home on U. S. 27.

Ed McVannell of Gaylord and Theodore Engel of Alba purchased new Ford trucks of the Burke Sales this week.

Leslie Kite is assisting at "Spikes". He will however continue his work in the kitchen at the Plaza Grill nights.

Mrs. Elsie Milks underwent an operation at Mercy Hospital Thursday. She is recovering nicely.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch have purchased the Sam Rasmussen property on U. S. 27 and expect to build a home there.

Miss Helen Verlinde of Fredonia and Misses Elaine McDowell and Gloria LaMotte are assisting in the Hanson Cafe for the summer.

Axel Larson and two children Patsy and Larry, who have been seriously ill for the last few weeks with typhoid fever, are improving slowly.

Mrs. Willard Harwood drove to West Branch Monday to bring her son Bobbie, who has been ill, home. He had been visiting his grandparents there.

All American Legion Auxiliary members are urged to attend the regular social meeting on Tuesday evening, July 27, at the hall. The lunch will be pot luck.

Mrs. John Criske has resigned her position at the Plaza Grill. She will spend a week with her parents at Petoskey and later return to Gaylord to make her home.

Wm. Millikin of Beaver Creek township lost a horse Monday night when it was struck by an auto driven by a couple of young men. The horse was on the highway.

W. W. Lewis of Lansing was assisting in the M. C. ticket office for a few days, during the night trick that has been held down by Grant Shaw for over a quarter of a century.

Sheriff Frank Bennett is just about the busiest man in the county, and just when he finds time to sleep is a mystery. He is on the job almost continually day and night. Better cut it out, Frank, for no man can stand that pace. People soon forget one's good deeds.

Friday seven ladies drove to Crap Lake near Gladwin and attended a luncheon given by Mrs. C. A. Canfield of Detroit and Mrs. Clark Safford of Gladwin at their cottage. Guests included Mrs. C. R. Keyport, Mrs. H. W. Wolff, Mrs. A. J. Joseph, Mrs. Maude Hanson, Mrs. C. G. Clippert, Mrs. O. P. Schumann, Mrs. Ethel McKay of Cleveland, and Mrs. A. E. Mason of Detroit.

As the M. N. G. camp at Camp Grayling will close the last of the week, the officer's wives who are sojourning at Lake Margrethe will meet at the Officers club house today for an afternoon of contract bridge and social gathering. Mrs. James R. Randall is chairman of the affair and her committee is Mrs. Wesley, Mrs. Bierworth, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Standiford. Without a doubt it will be a very delightful affair.

Many friends of the Hodd G. Barnhart family, the latter who are with the Lewis Bros. show troupe, enjoyed visiting them again while the circus was in town the first of the week. The family lived in Grayling some 20 years ago and at that time Mr. Barnhart played in the local band. He is now playing cornet in the Circus band, his daughter Leahal takes part in an aerial act and also in the Arab act. His daughter Leoma takes part in the sideshow and Master Levi seemed to know their stuff in the big show.

The Clayton Straehly family returning from attending the funeral of Mr. Straehly's sister Mrs. Margaret Burton, stopped at Mt. Pleasant and on arriving there found that Mrs. Straehly's mother Mrs. Hannah A. Thurston, had passed away. Mrs. Thurston passed away on July 10 of the infirmities of old age in her 81st year. She was born in Dryden, Mich., in 1856, the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. William Taylor. In 1880 she was united in marriage to William Thurston of Augusta, Maine. To the union eight children were born, all of whom survive, Leon and Ora Belle at home; Mrs. J. H. Green, Duluth; Mrs. A. Wendt, and Carl Thurston, of Midland; William, Mt. Pleasant; Mrs. Herman Luce, Flushing and Mrs. Straehly, Grayling. Also 34 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren survive.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

GRAYLING STATE SAVINGS BANK

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN

at the close of business, June 30th, 1937, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES

LOANS AND DISCOUNTS, VIZ.: Commercial a secured by collateral \$108,887.47 b unsecured (including endorsed paper) \$ 59,362.34 Totals \$168,249.81

REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES: Mortgages in office \$25,999.88 Totals \$ 25,999.88

BONDS AND SECURITIES, VIZ.: U. S. Government Obligations Direct and Fully Guaranteed in Office \$25,879.49 U. S. Government Obligations Direct and Fully Guaranteed Pledged \$ 40,527.02 Totals \$25,879.49 \$ 66,406.51

RESERVES, VIZ.: Due from Banks in Reserve Cities and Cash on Hand \$135,358.73 Totals \$135,358.73 \$84,000.00 \$199,358.73

COMBINED ACCOUNTS, VIZ.: Overdrafts, secured and unsecured \$ 71.64 Furniture and Fixtures \$ 1.00 Totals \$460,087.57

LIABILITIES

Common Stock paid in \$25,000.00 Surplus Fund \$ 25,000.00 Undivided Profits, net \$ 3,076.52 Reserve for Taxes, Interest, Depreciation, etc., Gov. tax on deposit boxes \$.30

COMMERCIAL DEPOSITS, VIZ.: Commercial Deposits Subject to Check \$226,721.01 Certified Checks \$ 152.30 Cashier's Checks—Bank Money Orders \$ 2,745.23 a State Deposits \$ 3,985.19 c Other Public Funds \$ 33,413.74 Securities pledged under Sec. 35 for (a) (b) (c) \$40,527.02 Public Funds—No assets pledged \$ 27,696.99 Totals \$294,714.46 \$294,714.46

SAVINGS DEPOSITS: Book Accounts—Subject to Savings By-Laws \$102,405.54 Certificates of Deposit—Subject to Savings By-Laws \$ 9,890.75 Totals \$112,296.29 \$112,296.29

Total \$460,087.57

OFFICERS:

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John Bruun, Vice-Pres. & Manager
Holger D. Hanson, Vice-Pres.
Margrethe Nielsen, Cashier
George Schroeder, Asst. Cashier

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John Bruun
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RADIO STARS VISIT GRAYLING

It is an interesting comparison to note the amount of money raised for school purposes 23 years ago with the amount spent last year. A budget of \$8,000 was voted at the meeting for expenses for the year 1915. The amount spent for school purposes that year 1914 was \$17,849.77. Out of this amount \$1,480.00 was for bond retirement and interest. Last year the amount spent for school purposes was \$48,411.33. Present day costs for school purposes is much greater than double what it was 23 years ago.

An accident Saturday on the County road a short distance west of Lewiston, resulted in the instant death of Philip Foco of Linden, Mich., and inflicting injuries, which proved fatal to William Hull of Standish. Mr. Hull was brought to Mercy Hospital where he died within a few minutes after entering. It is reported that in an attempt to avoid hitting a cow that was crossing the road in front of them, they ran into a tree at the side of the road. The bodies were cared for by Sorenson Brothers until evening Saturday when they were taken to Standish.

Ethiopia Uses Julian Calendar

Ethiopia uses the Julian calendar, but the Egyptian names of the months are also used. The first of Thoth, New Year's day, falls on September 11 in our calendar. There is a deviation of twelve minutes and twenty-five seconds per year from the true solar time and one day is lost in each 131 years.

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